(b) whether there has been an increase or decrease in sale from duty free shops in the last three years; and

(c) the details of amount of funds generated from sales on international flights?

THE MINISTER OF TOURISM AND CULTURE (SHRI JAGMOHAN): (a) and (b) Year-wise details of sales of all ITDC managed Duty Free Shops alongwith variance over previous year are given hereunder:-

(Rs. in Crores)

Year	Sale	Increase/Decrease
2000-01	83.38	(+) 1.32
2001-02	70.81	(-) 12.57
2002-03 (Prov.)	92.85	(+) 22.04

(c) Duty Free Shops do not sell on board international flights. These sales are made by international carriers.

Tourist attractions in Delhi

252. SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD: Will the Minister of TOURISM AND CULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Delhi offers a rich and multifaceted cultural heritage through its monuments which have become major tourist attractions;

(b) if so, whether there is a need to add more tourist attractions;and

(c) if so, the steps taken in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF TOURISM AND CULTURE (SHRI JAGMOHAN): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c) The Department of Tourism, Government of India, has formulated schemes for Integrated Development of Tourist Circuits, Product/Infrastructure and Destination Development and Assistance of Large Revenue Generating Projects for development of tourism infrastructure in the country.

The measures taken in Delhi includes:

1. Improvement to Red Fort, Qutab Minar, Humayun's Tomb, Purana Quila, Tughlakabad, Quila Rai Pithora, Hazrat Nizamuddin.
2. Providing Ramps and Toilet for disabled persons in Dilli Haat.
3. Qutab Festival
4. Garden Festival
5. Golf Tournament
6. Ananya Festival
7. Computerization of DTTDC

World Heritage status to Mahabodhi Temple

†253. SHRI JAYANTILAL BAROT: Will the Minister of TOURISM AND CULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are considering any action plan to develop Bodh Gaya and Matrigaya (Siddhpur-Gujarat) as a major tourist spot; if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether Mahabodhi Temple of Bodh Gaya has achieved World Heritage status; if so, when; and

(c) the names of other tourist spots in the country which have achieved World Heritage status and the names of other tourist spots for which Government are trying to achieve World Heritage status?

THE MINISTER OF TOURISM AND CULTURE (SHRI JAGMOHAN): (a) A project for Integrated Development of Vaishali-Nalanda-Rajgir-Bodhgaya with Central financial assistance of Rs. 505.00 lakhs has been sanctioned in Bihar. The entire amount has been released for the project. For Matrigaya in Distt. Siddhpur (Gujarat) no action plan is currently under consideration.

(c) The details of World Heritage Sites in India is as under:—

1. Ajanta Caves
2. Ellora Caves
3. Agra Fort

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.